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TAYLOR ON THE NAVY

What He Terms the Most Crying Requirement of That Department.

MORE MEN NEEDED

The Admiral Declares That Additional Officers Are Necessary to Handle Our Warships and Are Behind Others.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The most crying need of the navy, according to the annual report of Admiral H. C. Taylor, chief of the bureau of navigation, is more officers to man our warships. He declares preparations now going on for mobilization of the fleet for winter maneuvers in the West Indies have brought department to face to face with a critical condition, due to the lack of officers, which, he says, has reached such a point as to be dangerous to the efficiency of the fleet.

He says the number of other officers on our ships is less than the number on board ships of other navies, although, as a matter of fact, our ships require more officers than other navies, because we are compelled to man our vessels with green crews, having little or no knowledge of sea life.

He submits a table showing the present needs of the naval service. It will require 1600 officers, while the number on our navy list, including midshipmen, after graduation, is 1024, or 577 short. This table is based upon the lowest possible number of officers needed on our battleships.

He figures that vessels now authorized by congress, but not completed, will require 498 additional officers, to which is to be added 25 per cent for officers sick or on shore duty, and 160 for casualties during the next four years, or a total for vessels now building of 733. This number, added to the present shortage of 577, will give 1360. Graduates from the naval academy during the next four years will be 355, leaving the total deficit July 1, 1906, of 1005, not counting the officers for the event of hostilities.

In addition to the increase of midshipmen provided for by the last congress, Admiral Taylor, therefore, recommends further increase of midshipmen for each member and delegate. He also recommends that the number District of Columbia and ten annually at large.

He also recommends that a number of lieutenant commanders be increased to 30, lieutenants (senior grade) 50, and lieutenants (junior grade) and ensigns 350.

The concentration of the naval force in two fighting squadrons in the north Atlantic and Asiatic waters is recommended.

For the present, the report says, two squadrons are all that the present number of our battleships will permit.

To carry out this policy Admiral Taylor proposes to transfer battleships in the remaining squadrons to one or the other of the heavy squadrons and to compass the Pacific, European and South Atlantic squadrons entirely to cruisers.

THE NEW MUSKET.

Gen. Crozier Says It Has Not Been Tried With Satisfactory Results.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Gen. Crozier, chief of the bureau of ordnance, in his annual report to the secretary of war, says that the improved musket has been completed and tried with very satisfactory results, the various changes not only improving the weapon, but cheapening and accelerating the production.

The rod bayonet is a feature of the new rifle. Its advantage is said to be in the fact that it lightens the weight of the gun and dispenses with the bayonet and bayonet scabbard now in use, and in their place intrenching tools may be carried by the soldier. The new piece weighs but little less than 9 1-2 pounds, is considerably lighter than the German and Mauser, yet of greater velocity and greater penetration.

Due to Hysteria.

New York, Nov. 10.—Details concerning the autopsy performed on the body of Nellie Corcoran, the 19-year-old girl who died Saturday after a trance of 20 days, are interpreted as confirming the theory that her condition was due to hysteria. No sign of disease was found in any organ. The physicians believe the girl's original sleep was caused by self-hypnotism and that hysteria followed.

Was Asleep Under a Car.

San Antonio, Nov. 10.—Houston McGinnis, 15 years old, had both legs cut off Sunday night. He was sleeping under a Southern Pacific car. He died.

Sagasta Resigns.

Madrid, Nov. 10.—Premier Sagasta has tendered his resignation to King Alfonso. The king will consider it. He has informed the cortes.

CAME TO INVESTIGATE.

Commission to Look Into Labor Conditions Attend a Meeting.

New York, Nov. 10.—A delegation from the industrial commission of England to investigate the conditions in this country attended the weekly meeting of the Central Federated Labor union in this city Sunday. Its members were welcomed by several speakers.

Acting as spokesman for the visitors Geo. D. Kelly, J. P., general secretary of the Amalgamated Society of Lithographic Printers, Manchester, declared his confidence in the American methods of production, believing them to be superior to any in the world.

"We do not come here," he said, "to recite any competition with American working people, but rather to foster a fraternal feeling between the working people of the two countries. You are too strong to fear us. You are too rich in mineral wealth and other natural resources in this country to have fear of competition abroad. What we want is honesty of feeling between the working men of the two countries, believing the aims of the working people all over the world to be the same—the bettering of their conditions."

New Train.

Louisville, Nov. 10.—Mr. R. T. Matthews, the Louisville representative of the Missouri Pacific, received a telegram from H. C. Townsend, general passenger agent of that road announcing the inauguration of a new train from St. Louis to Hot Springs, Ark. The train leaves St. Louis at 8 p. m. and makes the run to Hot Springs in twelve hours. The equipment in this service is entirely new.

Body Divided in Two.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 10.—Earnest Armstrong, a married brakeman, met a horrible death in the yards here Sunday. In descending from a moving freight car he fell astride the rail. The car wheels divided his body from the chin down, half rolling from the track and the other half mangled to pieces.

Died from Brain Disease.

New York, Nov. 10.—Jeremiah Evans Green, postmaster of Worcester, Mass., is dead at Plainfield, N. J., from acute brain disease. He was a nephew of the late Wm. M. Evans, and a cousin of Senator Geo. F. Hoar. From 1868 to 1891 he was editor of the Worcester Spy.

Courtroom Thronged.

New York, Nov. 10.—Court opened upon the closing scenes of the second trial of Roland B. Molineaux, charged with the murder of Katherine J. Adams Dec. 28, 1898, with about 1000 persons seeking admission.

State Senator Passes Away.

Atlanta, Nov. 10.—State Senator Patrick J. Sullivan of Augusta, Ga., one of the most prominent members of the upper house of the state legislature, died here Sunday in St. Joseph's hospital.

Eight Acres Burned Out.

London, Nov. 10.—A special dispatch from Cape Town announces that an area of eight acres at Eastland, Cape Colony, has been destroyed by fire. Thirty large buildings in the center of the town were destroyed.

First Snow of the Season.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 10.—Western half of Nebraska had the first snow of the season Sunday night. Thermometer dropped 40 degrees Sunday.

Traversed Petticoat Lane.

London, Nov. 10.—For the first time the mayor's procession traversed the unfashionable thoroughfare of Petticoat Lane.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Okemah, I. T., grows fast.

Half a block of business houses burned at Mangum, Okla.

A six-story candy factory building is to be at once erected in Dallas.

An unknown man met his death by jumping from the Brooklyn bridge.

One hundred pennies were stolen from the union depot at Paris, Tex.

Eleven freight cars were wrecked on the Central road near Hempstead, Tex.

The Chapman & Dewey box factory at Jonesboro, Ark., burned. Loss \$150,000.

D. W. Hogan of Yukon was elected president of the Oklahoma Bankers' association.

Mrs. Thomas Henderson was shot through the heart and robbed near Carlock, Tenn.

C. D. Thompson of Lincoln, Neb., has accepted his appointment as minister to Brazil.

E. D. Steger of Bonham, Tex., has been elected president of the Bankers' Trust company of St. Louis.

Thomas A. Homer, steward of the steamer J. M. Guffey, fell overboard at Port Arthur, Tex., and was drowned.

Twelve miles north of Bonham, Tex., Charles Cobb of Ladonia, one of a hunting party, was accidentally shot and killed.

"Take care of her and treat her good," was written on a note found with a baby in a valise left on a train at Chicago.

Articles of incorporation of the Metropolitan Street Railway company at Dallas, capital stock \$4,500,000 have been filed at Austin.

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THE DAILY EAGLE.

REPLIES TO CHARGES

General Hughes Quotes an Extract From an Epistle.

A PAMPHLET IN CASE

The Burning of Iloilo, it is Said by the Officer, Was the Work of Insurgents and Not Done by the Eighteenth.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The war department has made public a statement by General R. P. Hughes in reply to charges contained in a letter written by Henry Loomis Nelson in a Boston newspaper August 25, 1902, and which letter is embraced in a pamphlet signed by Charles Francis Adams, Carl Schurz, Edward Barrett Smith and Herbert Welsh, committee, under the title of "Marked Severities. Secretary Root's Record in the Philippines Warfare."

General Hughes quoted the following extract from the letter:

"The Eighteenth regulars marched from Iloilo in the south to Capiz in the north of Panay under orders to burn every town from which they were attacked. The result was they left a strip of land sixty miles wide from one end of the island to the other, over which the traditional crowd could not have flown without provisions. That is what burning means, and more. It is not done for the fun of the thing but out of stern necessity."

General Hughes who commanded in Panay at the time says the burning of Iloilo was shown by the official records of the insurgent council to have been the work of the insurgents. He says the troops by "some work, some fighting and much exposure to fire were able to wrench a portion of Iloilo from the flames."

After reviewing the work of the Eighteenth infantry in the province of Panay, General Hughes says: "It has thus been shown that the Eighteenth regiment of regulars had no order to burn all towns from which they were attacked, and that they did not leave a strip of land sixty miles wide from one end of the island to the other over which the traditional crowd could not have flown without provisions," but as a matter of fact did leave the country uninjured; the towns and villages intact; the roads improved; bridges rebuilt and the 500,000 natives of the section covered were left in the full enjoyment of their property and rights."

KING'S BIRTHDAY.

Divine Services Attended by German Emperor, Held at Sandringham Church.

Sandringham, Nov. 10.—The weather Sunday was perfect and mild and the bright sunshine brought crowds of visitors to Sandringham on the chance of seeing Emperor William. The approaches to the church were lined with spectators. Queen Alexandra, the Prince of Wales and Mrs. Chamberlain arrived at the church together. Half an hour later King Edward, Emperor William, Prime Minister Balfour, Colonial Secretary Chamberlain, and other distinguished persons arrived and stood chatting outside. King Edward talked with Mr.

Chamberlain for a few minutes, then the emperor of Germany approached and for a quarter of an hour the emperor and Mr. Chamberlain stood apart and conversed earnestly. The service had begun and the anthem had been reached before the royal party entered the church, the king taking the emperor's arm.

The bishop of Ripon preached on the possibility of the disappearance of race distinctions and the attaining of the grand brotherhood of man.

Fired Salutes.

Panama, Nov. 10.—At noon Sunday the British, American and Chilean men-of-war fired a salute of 21 guns in honor of the anniversary of the birthday of King Edward.

MASON THE MAN.

Perry Says He Received the Pawned Articles From That Individual.

Boston, Nov. 10.—George L. O. Perry, the negro who pawned the watches taken from the murdered woman, Miss Clara A. Morton, and Miss Agnes McPhee, declares that Alan G. Mason is the man from whom he received these articles. Perry was taken to the jail in East Cambridge, where Mason, under arrest on the charge of killing Miss Morton, is confined pending a hearing in the Cambridge court. In one of the jail corridors, Perry positively identified Mason as the man who had given him the two watches. Mason, by neither look nor word, betrayed any knowledge of having seen Perry before. When questioned by Sheriff Fairbairn, Mason merely said: "I do not know this man, I never saw him before."

Headed by Child's Father.

Mobile, Ala., Nov. 10.—A mob gathered about the central police station Sunday with the intention of lynching Lewis Wyatt, a negro, who that day assaulted Maria Constance, a little white girl 6 years. The child's father headed the mob. The chief of police assured the crowd that the negro would be punished, but told them they must let the law take its course. The mob dispersed.

All Walked Out.

Stuebenville, O., Nov. 10.—The machinists at the National Steel company's mill at Mingo Junction are out on a strike. They have just organized and presented their scale, but it was not signed and one member of the committee was discharged, so all walked out.

Both Legs Crushed.

Beaumont, Tex., Nov. 10.—Josh Jones, colored, was found on the Southern Pacific railway track Sunday night with both legs crushed. He said he had been shot by a brakeman and fell from a moving train. He died soon after being found.

Nearly Bled to Death.

Beaumont, Tex., Nov. 10.—District Attorney Hightower nearly bled to death from a wound accidentally inflicted with a knife while hunting bear.

Senor Arano, on trial at Bilbao, Spain, charged with sending a congratulatory letter to President Roosevelt over Cuba's independence, was acquitted.

Safe in the H. S. Lundy bank at Rock Island, Tex., was blown to atoms by burglars. Amount stolen could not be ascertained. Burglar insurance was carried.

George Gant, colored, assaulted Mrs. Irene Watson not far from Millersport, O., while she was milking. A mob shot the negro fatally. Mob was composed of men and women.

Her Complaint.

Jane was a patient in one of the large public hospitals. She boasted a cough which was more than suspected to be a "fake" cough rather than bronchial or pulmonary.

The kindly young physician in charge of the ward allowed her some harmless remedies. One day he said to her:

"Ah, Jane, I fear you are a bad case of hypochondria."

"Is that it, docther?" said Jane, much impressed.

The next morning there she was again, asking for her little dose.

"I'm very bad with it today, docther."

"With what?" asked the doctor.

"Wid what ye were namn' for me yestiddy," she replied. "It gave me no peace at all last night."

An Item In Demand.

He was cutting an item from a newspaper. "It tells how a house was robbed, and I want to show it to my wife," he explained.

"What good will that do?" a friend inquired.

"A whole lot," was the reply. "You see, this house was robbed while the man was at church with his wife."

"Say!" exclaimed the friend excitedly, "you haven't got a duplicate copy of that paper, have you?"—Chicago Post.

Helpful Husband.

Cicero Moke—I came to tole yo', ma'am, dat Lucy Brown, who done leabe yo' yistiddy, ain' gwine lib out no mo', kase she married me today.

Mrs. Hauskeep—Indeed! Well?

Cicero Moke—Well, I fought mebbe yo' might let her do yo' washin'. I'm a drummin' up trade for her dis mornin'.—Philadelphia Press.

One Live Man Wanted.

"Is your company for 'Hamlet' complete?" answered Mr. Stormington Barnes. "All I want is a good, live young man for the ghost."—Washington Star.

Taking the world as a whole, 25 per cent die before they reach the age of seventeen.

Experience worries more men than it teaches.—Chicago News.

WHY THEY MARRIED.

Reasons of the Chronic Cranks For Entering Into Wedlock.

Postal cards having been sent out to married men with the inquiry "Why did you marry?" a large number of responses came to hand, from which the following are selected:

"That's what I have been trying for eleven years to find out.—X."

"Married to get even with her mother, but never have.—W."

"Because Sarah told me that five other young men had proposed to her.—C."

"The father thought eight years' courtin' was almost long enough.—B."

"Please don't stir me up.—J."

"Because I did not have the experience I have now.—G."

"That's the same question my friends ask me.—C. H."

"I wanted a companion of the opposite sex. P. S.—She is still opposite.—A."

"Because it is just my luck.—P. J."

"I yearned for company. We now have it all the time.—Karl."

"Have exhausted all the figures in the arithmetic to figure out an answer to your question. Between multiplication and division in the family and distraction in addition, the answer is hard to arrive at.—Old Man."

"I married to get the best wife in the world.—Simon."

"Because I asked her if she'd have me. She said she would. She's got me.—Blivins."—Detroit Free Press.

The Cause of Geysers.

Bunsen has explained the periodical eruption of geysers in such a satisfactory manner that doubt is no longer possible. A cavern filled with water lies deep in the earth under the geyser, and the water in this cavern is heated by the earth's internal heat far above 212 degrees, since there is a heavy hydrostatic pressure upon it arising from the weight of water in the passage or natural standpipe that leads from the subterranean chamber to the surface of the earth.

After a time the temperature of the water below rises, so that steam is given off in spite of the pressure, and the column in the exit tube is gradually forced upward. The release of pressure and the disturbance of the water then cause the contents of the subterranean chamber to flash into steam and expel the contents of the exit pipe violently.

These eruptions may also be provoked by throwing stones or clods of turf into the basin of the geyser. The water in the cavern below is disturbed by this means.

A Love Potion.

One of the leading sources of income to the old herbalist was the compounding of love powders for despondent swains and heartick maidens. If a powder would not bring the desired relief, various juices of roots and herbs were mingled in a potion and sold as the love phial. Here is an old recipe:

"Mistletoe berries (not exceeding nine in number) are steeped in an equal mixture of wine, bee, vinegar and honey."

"This taken on an empty stomach before going to bed will cause dreams of your future destiny (provided you retire before 12 o'clock) either on Christmas eve or on the first and third of a new moon." Perhaps as a lingering remnant of this absurdity there is a current notion in some parts of the world today that a whole mince pie eaten at midnight will cause the reappearance of long departed friends, not to mention the family physician and the more interested members of the household.

A Memorable Ride.

The most memorable ride in English history was that of Sir Arthur Owen, which placed the Hanoverian dynasty on the throne of Great Britain. The act of settlement by which in 1701 parliament elected the house of Hanover to the British throne was passed by only one vote, and this casting vote was given by Sir Arthur Owen, the member of parliament for Pembroke-shire. He arrived at Westminster, dusty and travel worn, only just in time to record his vote, having ridden with furious haste from Wales for the purpose on relays of horses kept at all the posting houses along the route. To that ride Britain owes its Georgian era; hence its Queen Victoria and her descendants.

"Tomato."

What is the earliest instance of the occurrence of the word tomato in any European language? The first I have in my notebook is the reference to "Americianorum tumate," made by Guilandinus in his "De Papyro," a commentary on parts of Pliny, 1572, page 90. Later (page 91) he says, "Denique tumate ex Themiastian, recentiores fere pomum aureum, et pomum amaris nuncupant," showing that both the Aztec name tomato and the popular "love apple" were already in use. "Themiastian," I may add, is probably a misprint for Themiastian—I. e., Tenochtitlan, a synonym for Mexico.—Notes and Queries.

Cast Out Cant.

Honor to the strong man in these ages who has shaken himself loose of shams and is something. For in the way of being worthy the first condition surely is that one be. Let cant cease at all risks and at all costs. Till cant cease nothing else can begin.—Carlyle.

Heroic Remedies.

"They claim that peritonitis is a cure for appendicitis."

"I suppose that's on the same principle that beheading is a sure cure for squinting."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Wit is brushwood, judgment is timber. The first makes the brightest flames, but the other gives the most lasting heat.

PLANT PECULIARITIES.

The Reason Fruit Bushes and Vines Are Protected by Thorns.

Most persons think that the stem of a plant grows from the roots. On the contrary, the roots grow from the stem. In the case of a plant that dies down to the ground in autumn it is not the roots that send up a new stem in the spring, for a part of the true stem remains underground on the root crown, and from it grow up the bud bearing stems in the spring. When a seed germinates, it sends the light loving stem upward and the dark loving root downward.

Saw off part of a tree trunk and you will find a series of rings from the center to the bark, each ring marking a year of growth. But these rings indicate also which of the seasons through which the tree has lived were dry and which had plenty of rain. The rings are always of unequal width. The narrow ones represent dry seasons and the wide ones seasons when the conditions of growth were better by reason of plentiful rain.

Every rose has its thorn, and the same may be said of such fruits as blackberries, raspberries, etc., only they are not real thorns, but prickles, which strip off with the outer bark, while thorns will not strip off, being hardened, undeveloped branches.

But why do bushes and vines have prickles? Many people wonder at it, for they see no good reason for such a growth. But there is a reason, as there is in everything in nature. The prickles are given to them as a protection against plant eating animals. The stems have a pleasant, aromatic taste, and cows and sheep would be sure to eat them in winter, when they crave something fresh, if it were not for the prickles.

Ants In Siam.

M. Charles Meissen, a French explorer, in traveling through Siam observed a species of small gray ants which were new to him. These ants were much engaged in traveling. They lived in damp places and went in troops. To his surprise he noticed among them from time to time an occasional ant which was much larger than the others and moved at a much swifter pace, and each of these larger ants M. Meissen saw always carried one of the gray ants on its back. While the main body of gray ants were always on foot, they were accompanied by at least one of their own sort mounted on one of these larger ants. It mounted and detached itself now and then from the line, rode rapidly to the head, came swiftly back to the rear and seemed to be the commander of the expedition. The explorer was satisfied that this species of ant employs a larger ant, possibly a drone of the same species, just as we employ horses to ride upon, though scarcely more than one ant in each colony seems to be provided with a mount.

Bret Harte.

In an article of reminiscences Mary Stuart Boyd says that Bret Harte never obtruded his personality. He also had a dread of people regarding him for his work only, not for himself. "Why didn't you tell me it was Bret Harte who sat next me at dinner last night?" wailed one of society's smartest young matrons in a note to her hostess the morning after a large dinner party. "I have always longed to meet him, and I would have been so different had I only known who my neighbor was." "Now, why can't a woman realize that this sort of thing is insulting?" queried the author, to whom the hostess had forwarded her friend's letter. "If Mrs. — talked with me and found me uninteresting as a man, how could she expect to find me interesting because I was an author?"

A Musical Bed.

A Bombay man has constructed a bedstead priced at 10,000 rupees. It is thus described: "It has at its four corners four full sized, gaudily dressed Grecian damsels—those at the head holding banjos, while those on the right and left hold fans. Beneath the cot is a musical box which extends the whole length of the cot and is capable of playing twelve charming airs. The music begins the moment the least pressure has been brought to bear from the top, which is created by one sleeping or sitting, and ceases the moment the individual rises. While the music is in progress the lady banjoists at the head manipulate the strings with their fingers and move their heads, while the two Grecian damsels at the bottom fan the sleeper to sleep."

Too Good A Lie.

A young man from Banffshire was spending his holidays in Aberdeen. While walking on "the green" in company with his uncle he was surprised to see so many kites flying. Observing one far higher than the rest, he called his uncle's attention and asked if ever he had seen a kite flying as high before. "Did ever I see one as high afore?" Man, Jammie, that's naething, for I hae seen some o' them clean oot o' sicht."—Scottish American.

Boston Public Library Advantages.

Barnes—I suspect that Pingrey is quite a literary man. I know he spends the greater part of his time in the public library.

Howes—Yes. He tells me it is so quiet there he can get a nap almost any time without being awakened.—Boston Transcript.

Her Diagnosis.

Mamma—You must be awfully careful, darling. The doctor says your system is upset.

Little Dot—Yes, I guess it is, mamma, 'cause my foot's asleep, and people must be terribly upset when they go to sleep at the wrong end.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

HUMOR IN HORSES.

Story of an Animal That Has More Than Its Share.

Only those who are unfamiliar with animals doubt that they have a sense of humor. Jimmy is a lively road horse who has ideas of his own and very original conceptions of what is amusing. One day the children had erected a small tent on the lawn and sat within it drinking lemonade and playing that they were banditti. Jimmy walked softly up to the side of the tent and slowly inserted his nose through a convenient slit, says Our Dumb Animals. Eyes and ears followed and, his head once within at the back of the unsuspicious revelers, Jimmy gave one tremendous sneeze of that kind which is half a snort.

The banditti fell back in every direction, and the horse, withdrawing from the tent, laughed silently to himself before going back to his grass cropping. Jimmy's favorite amusement is that of scattering a flock of sheep. When he is feeding with them in the pasture, he suddenly stops eating and then dashes among them, sending them scudding over the hillside. Then he stands watching them until they again settle to their nibbling and after a short luncheon of his own repeats the pleasing diversion. Although this horse is the gentlest creature in the world, it pleases him exceedingly to frighten any one who has shown timidity in his presence.

Jimmy's two mistresses harness him without trouble or danger, but he delights in alarming one girl cousin who visits at the house. Sundry giddings and nervous starts of her own were enough to show Jimmy of what manner and temperament she was, and he is merciless in taking advantage of that knowledge. If she enters the stable where he stands accepting the harness in the most docile manner, he opens his mouth, showing a wicked row of teeth, and makes a feint of snapping at her. She shrieks, his mistress scolds and reasons with him, and Jimmy apparently is then repentant.

FACTS ABOUT FEET.

The typical Irish foot is flat, rather broad and not usually long.

The Frenchman's foot is proverbially long, narrow and well proportioned.

The Scotchman's foot is high and thick, strong, muscular and capable of hard work.

The Tartar's foot is short and heavy, the foot of a certain type of savage, and the toes are all the same length.

The Englishman's foot is in most cases short and rather fleshy and not as a rule as strong as proportionately it should be.

The Russian's foot possesses at least one peculiarity which is worth noticing. The toes are generally "webbed" to the first joint.

The Spaniard's foot is generally small and, thanks to the Moorish blood which flows in the veins of most Spaniards, elegantly curved.

The latest measurements seem to show that America is in the process of developing a race with the smallest feet among all the civilized nations.

The Teutonic and Scandinavian nations appear to have the largest feet. Swedes, Norwegians and Germans standing in this respect at the head of the list.

The Arab's foot is famous for its high arch, whereby a true Arab may, indeed, always be known, the Koran saying that a stream of water can run under the foot without touching it.

Seemed to Have Got Out.

A Chicago man on his summer vacation went to a Wisconsin lake resort and one day became engaged in conversation with the proprietor. He commented on the attractiveness of the surroundings and finally asked the hotel keeper how many acres there were in the property.

"About forty," replied the proprietor. "I see there is another resort a short distance north of you. Who owns that?"

"The Widder Simmons."

"You and she join, do you not?"

The landlord's sunburned face turned a shade or two redder.

"We're expecting to next October," he said, "but I didn't think anybody'd found it out yet."

French Coffee.

The delicious flavor which all travelers in France discover in the coffee of that country is got, it is said, by the addition of a little butter and sugar during the roasting process. To every three pounds of roasting berries a tablespoonful each of butter and powdered sugar is added. These in melting spread over the beans in a thin coating, which holds the aroma and contributes a caramel flavor that is delicious and distinctive.—Harper's Bazar.

A Modern Adonis.

Lady—Your partner has fainted, I hear. How did that happen?

Officer—It is quite simple. I danced with her three times in succession. The great happiness was too much of a strain for her nerves. I am now taking my departure lest I should do any further damage.—From the German.

Friday Is Lucky.

There is luck in odd numbers. There is double luck in two odd numbers. Friday is the sixth day of the week. Six is the double of three, which is not only an odd number, but one which proverbially possesses a charm. Therefore Friday is a doubly charmingly lucky day.—Boston Advertiser.

The English Style.

Frank was learning to ride a horse, and one day somebody asked him if it bounced him very hard when the horse was trotting.

"Oh, no," he answered. "I don't bounce very hard. I stay up nearly all the time."—Little Chronicle.

Perfume

We have received a fresh supply of Alfred Wrights' Perfumes; also a new supply of the popular perfume Thelma

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Northbound No. 5 2:13 a. m.
Southbound No. 2 2:00 p. m.
Southbound No. 4 4:16 p. m.
Southbound No. 6 2:46 a. m.
Nos. 3 and 4 are fast trains, stopping only at principal stations.

Local News

Six days sale at Coulter's. 294
Harder & Co. for feed stuffs and grain. 290

Judge A. C. Brietz went to Milligan yesterday.

I will offer new cut prices every day of the sale. Coulter.

Mrs. Susan Haswell returned to Dallas yesterday.

J. W. Dean left yesterday for Cleveland, Texas.

Fred Goodson came up from Navasota to spend Sunday.

The best meats in Bryan are still sold by Franklin Bros. 294

For sale—The Geo. Jenkins place; apply to E. J. Jenkins. 92

Mrs. Josie Sheets returned from Hempstead yesterday.

Judge Spencer Ford is attending district court at Cameron.

Phone E. C. Harder & Co. for anything you want in the feed line. 290

C. S. Jones and W. D. Yardley were here from Bethel yesterday.

Nov. 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 are the days of my special sale. Coulter. 94

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff A. Adams left Sunday for Fort Worth and Dallas.

For Sale—good lots in 200 yards of graded school, see W. A. Dodson. 90

Always plenty and always the best—fine meats at Franklin Bros. 94

W. K. Symms of the Peach Creek community was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Brogdon of Houston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Patterson.

The Knights of the Maccabees met last night and initiated three new members.

Jack Taliaferro returned to Calvert yesterday after spending Sunday with his parents.

Your money back for any article bought during my special sale if you want it. Coulter. 294

Oysters for 1 cent each or 85 cents per hundred in bulk, for family use, at Edinburgh's. Also served in any style. 290

Our own cold storage gives us superior facilities for handling fresh meats in large quantities. We always have what you want. Franklin Bros. 294

The A. and M. football team will play Add-Ran University at Waco Saturday, and the postponed game with Trinity will be played here on Monday following. The game with Varsity at Austin Thanksgiving day will close the season.

Business League Tonight.

The regular monthly meeting of the Business League will be called to order tonight in the K. of P. hall at 8 o'clock. Several matters of importance are to be considered. The League will endeavor to formulate some plan to induce the railroads to make a low freight rate on all corn shipped in direct to the farmers of this section. Arrangements to hold a Farmers' Institute in Bryan will be perfected. The matter of the immediate erection of a cannery will be discussed, and some statistics will be presented bearing on the subject. The league is for Bryan every time and it behooves all good citizens to attend tonight to lay plans for the building up of a bigger and greater Bryan. The young men are especially invited to be present.

For Her Sake.

A fair sized and thoroughly appreciative audience witnessed "For Her Sake" at the opera house last night. The play is a strong one with a full measure of that fascination that attaches to Russian plays. The plot unfolds at the beginning of the first act and the interest is maintained by a succession of thrilling situations. The world old elements of love, hate, honor, courage, cowardice and cruelty are interwoven in the story, through which runs a thread of nihilism. The play was well cast and the costuming good.

Thousands of ducks passed over this vicinity early yesterday morning. Some few of them lit at the tanks and were bagged by lucky sportsmen. Duck shooting promises to be good this season.

For Sale—Six room house, three lots of ground, underground cistern, out houses, all in first-class condition, south front, between courthouse and Allen Academy. A. W. Hollman. 315

Grand Recorder Joe B. Reed, of the A. O. U. W., has paid to Recorder Walker of Vulcan lodge \$2000 for Mrs. J. N. Lawrence, the same being the amount of the benefit certificate held by her late husband.

Fresh Fish and Oysters daily at New Star Restaurant, C. G. Parsons, Proprietor, Zanetti Block, Next door to Seigle's; also Choice Fruits, Nuts, Candies, Cigars and Cold Drinks. 302

George W. Smith, Jr., has returned from McKinney and reports the cotton crop short in that vicinity. The late bolls are not making anything on account of too much rain.

\$1.25 counterpanes, 11-4 89c.

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\$1.25 petticoat, satine, 95c.

\$1.50 petticoat, satine, \$1.19.

Coulter's 6 days sale.

Pasturage for cows and horses \$1 per month in field three miles from town. Fine grass and water. Apply to Mrs. T. B. Collins or John M. Caldwell. 90

Dr. Holt of Waco, for many years superintendent of Missions in Texas, preached a most interesting sermon at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Rev. H. M. Sears of Austin, presiding elder of the Calvert district, was in the city Sunday and preached at the courthouse Sunday night.

6 days of bargains,
6 days of cut prices,
6 days of saving,
6 days of buying at Coulter's. 294

Mens Fine Overcoats



We have just received the largest and mest line of fine overcoats ever brought to Bryan, New Oxford Grey and Black Cheviots in the long Raglan style with full Box Back, trimmed and lined with only the best material and put together by expert tailors, we also have the same coats in medium lengths

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Nov. 16 to 21, H. & T. C. will sell round trip tickets to Houston, fare \$3.30. Limit Nov. 23, 1902.

SPECIAL

For special trains passing Bryan Nov. 18 and Nov. 21, 10:50 a. m., round trip fare \$1.00. Tickets good going on special train only. Tickets sold on the 18th will be good to return on regular trains Nov. 18, 19, 20. Tickets sold Nov. 21 good to return on regular trains Nov. 21, 22 and 23.

WACO.

Nov. 11, 12 and 13, H. & T. C. will sell round trip tickets to Waco, fare \$3.45. Limit Nov. 16, 1902.

W. S. Wilson, Agent.

Coulter's 6 days cut price sale.

D. C. Hill of Rogers Prairie was in the city yesterday.

You save money by buying the best meats. Try Franklin Bros. 294

Monte Carlo coats and jackets—about 24—just for the cut-price sale.

A party of hunters left yesterday morning to spend a few days on Hope creek.

Remember E. C. Harder & Co. for all kinds of feed stuffs, delivered promptly. 290

One or two rooms for rent to couple for light housekeeping. Address Box 101. 289

A chance to get you a nice Monte Carlo coat—at Coulter's cut price sale this week.

H. B. Dorsey has returned from Georgia. His mother is recovering from her late illness.

Ladies, if you don't attend the sale you will miss bargains. Come along with the crowd. Coulter. 294

D. W. Ford of Hollis was in town yesterday, shipping out some nursery stock to customers.

B. A. Smith and Edgar Scott left yesterday for Decatur, Texas, to take positions in an oil mill.

This is no fake sale. If it was I wouldn't say, "your money back if you want it." W. J. Coulter. 294

10c embroidery, 7 1/2c.

10c Lonsdale green dickie 7c.

71-2c Bleaching 6c.

\$2.50 fringe counterpane \$1.79.

Coulter's 6 days sale.

The list of Central Texas Fair association premium awards has been furnished the Eagle for publication, and will be brought out in a day or so. The premiums are now being paid.

Rags—Wanted, about 25 pounds of nice clean rags at 5c per pound. The Eagle office. 92

Clarence Boyer, railway mail clerk between Denison and Houston, spent Sunday in the city visiting relatives.

25c Minnen's Talcum 12 1-2c.

15c shoe polish 8c.

15c oil cloth 10c.

15c lady's hose 8c.

5c bottle ink 2c.

Coulter's 6 days sale.

Notice.

I will have on display about 24 nice jackets and Monte Carlo coats sample to sell at cut prices for the sale. W. J. Coulter.

If you appreciate a work of art, send 15c in stamps to S. F. B. Morse, P. T. M., Houston, Texas, and receive by mail postage paid, a picture of one of the California Big Trees, size 14 by 28 inches, richly colored and showing a troupe of cavalry standing within its diameter. These trees are a puzzle to scientists, and the picture will convey a comprehensive idea of the grandeur of the big tree forest of Maricopa. The artist has been particularly happy in his selection of tints, and this picture will form a very desirable addition to any collection. 285-3

Notice.

All persons found trespassing upon the railroad tank for any purpose will be prosecuted. M. Parker, President Fin Feather Club. 98

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J. W. BATTS,

Real Estate Agent.

Have in office the only set of abstract books of Brazos county land titles.

FOR SALE.

South half of block near Allen Academy. Price \$550.

About one and one-quarter acres near schoolhouse in southeast part of town. Small cottage, tenant house and well on premises. Price \$750.

Six room house and two lots of land located four blocks from Main Street. Brick cistern on premises. Price \$1250.

One quarter block near Allen Academy. East front. Price \$250.00. Terms easy.

76 feet front on Railroad street out Otto Boehme's property. Will sell part or all.

Lots near school house at \$100 each.

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AT ALAMO CITY.

Chicago Business Men Have an Enjoyable Visit to San Antonio on Sunday.

San Antonio, Nov. 10.—The Chicago delegation of business men Sunday spent one of the most enjoyable days thus far experienced in their Texas tour, in Austin in the Alamo city. The weather, which has been hitherto first cold, then rainy, was that of an ideal summer day.

Leaving Austin at 10 o'clock, after an early morning tour of the city by trolley, a stop of half an hour was made at the historic German town New Braunfels, where the most beautiful natural park of Texas is situated.

The San Antonio delegation, headed by President L. J. Hart of the Business Men's club, whose guests the Chicago men are at this point, boarded the train and a fast run was made to this city.

When the special arrived, shortly after 2 o'clock, tallyhoes, park breaks and carriages were in waiting and the entire party, which has increased by the addition of railway officials and local delegations to twice its original number, proceeded to take in all the points of interest about San Antonio.

Through the principal business streets the cortege moved, after which a two mile drive brought the visitors to Fort Sam Houston, the military post of the department of Texas. Gen. Fred Grant, the recently appointed commander of the post, surrounded by the officers of his staff, shook the hand of each member of the party and an inspection of the post followed. Then for three hours through Breckenridge park and San Pedro park, Laurel Heights, the latter the fashionable residence portion of the city, and past the innumerable small "plazas" that beautify the city, the drive was continued, the visitors being at length deposited at the Menger hotel, where dinner was served and where the party was met by Mayor Marshall Hicks. Later in the evening a majority of the guests were conducted to a hall, where they were given an exhibition of the Texas sport of cock fighting, and a contest between a badger and a bull dog.

SLEW HER SPOUSE.

He Chased the Woman With a Knife and She Used a Shotgun.

Binghamton, N. Y., Nov. 10.—Mrs. Enoc Hinck shot and killed her husband at their home, about three miles above Port Dickinson Sunday morning about 4 o'clock. Mrs. Hinck was 53 years old. They had been married 23 years. For some time Hinck has been jealous of a nephew, Frank Hinck, who has boarded at the Hinck home. Saturday Mrs. Hinck and Mr. Hinck and Frank Hinck came to Binghamton. Mrs. Hinck and Frank drove home alone. About 2 o'clock Sunday morning Hinck, who had arrived at some time previously in an intoxicated condition, quarrelled with his wife and made an assault upon her. She ran out of doors in her night dress, barefooted and pursued by her husband, ran down the road. He was armed with a clasp knife. Finally in the darkness, Mrs. Hinck eluded him and going back to the house barricaded her bedroom. Hinck went back and when he tried to open the door to renew the assault, the woman took up a shot gun and pointed it at her husband. It was discharged, the charge entering Hinck's breast just above the heart. He died in a few minutes.

BASEBALLIST SHOT.

Southern League Pitcher Allemand Mortally Wounded and Robbed.

Pomeroy, Ohio, Nov. 10.—Harry Allemand, who pitched in the Southern league this season, and who has signed with Cincinnati for the coming year, was shot and mortally wounded at Mason, W. Va., his home Sunday. Allemand had been out with friends and was returning home when he found burglars at work in the postoffice. A sentry on the outside ordered Allemand to halt. No attention was paid to the command and the sentry fired on Allemand, the bullet entering his back and lodging in the left lung. When Allemand had fallen to the ground the robbers took \$980 from him.

Deluged With Letters.

Weatherford, Tex., Nov. 10.—Gov. Elect Lanham continues to receive many visitors. Col. Lanham says that he finds it utterly impossible to answer the many letters he is receiving. His time is taken up in personal interviews with gentlemen who visit him to such an extent that he is unable to devote any time to his correspondence, except to read the letters, which he invariably does. He hopes that his failure to answer letters will not be construed as any discourtesy to the writers.

Writer and Physician Dies.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—Dr. Robert Newton Tooker, one of the most prominent physicians of Chicago and president of the Illinois Homopathic Medical association died suddenly Sunday of apoplexy. When a servant found his body lying on the floor in the bath room the physician had been dead several hours. Dr. Tooker, who was 61 years of age, was widely known as a writer on medical subjects.

In Search of Enemy.

Panama, Nov. 10.—The Colombian government gunboats Bogota and Chucito left here on a trip along the coast in search of the revolutionary fleet. It is reported that Capt. Marmaduke of the Bogota has received instructions to engage the revolutionists in a decisive battle if he finds it possible to do so.

Gone to Participate.

New York, Nov. 10.—The United States battleships Alabama, Capt. C. H. Davis, and Massachusetts, Capt. C. H. Manney, sailed from this port for Culebra island, in the Caribbean sea, where they will participate in the winter maneuvers.

ALMOST ANARCHISTIC.

Startling Sermon Preached by an Episcopal Bishop in Indiana.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—Costly almost anarchistic prevail in the United States, according to John H. White, Episcopal bishop of Northern Indiana. In a sermon at Grace church Sunday he declared that the American people had forgotten their duties in a mad rush for wealth and fame.

"It is every man for himself," he declared. "The typical American is heedless of how he achieves his end. Those that come in his way are trampled upon or pushed aside. It is this lack of respect for the wishes and rights of others that has brought about conditions in this country that border upon the anarchistic."

Irreverence, declared Bishop White, was responsible for the existing evil conditions. He declared that the American education tended to create irreverence, and that the strenuousness of American life had the effect of increasing the irreverent spirit.

"Our institutions," said the bishop, "have had such a rapid growth and our progress has been so wonderful that we are filled with an admiration of ourselves that surpasses our admiration for anything else."

STRICKEN SUDDENLY.

Prominent Presbyterian Clergyman Collapsed While in His Pulpit.

New York, Nov. 10.—Dr. John Reid of the Memorial Presbyterian church, one of Brooklyn's best known ministers, has been stricken suddenly in his pulpit just as he was beginning a prayer. His collapse was caused by acute indigestion and his condition is reported as being serious.

The church was crowded by a fashionable congregation when the minister was overcome. Several of those sitting near the pulpit sprang to his aid and caught him as he fell. A doctor who was present worked over him 15 minutes before restoring consciousness. The minister was taken to his home and the congregation, which had been greatly excited, was dismissed.

TRIUMPHAL ENTRY.

President Castro Goes into Caracas With the Ringing of Bells.

Caracas, Nov. 10.—President Castro made a triumphal official entry into Caracas Sunday at the head of 3200 troops amidst the ringing of bells and a display of fire works.

President Castro reached Los Teques from La Victoria Saturday without having encountered revolutionists on the way there and left Los Teques Sunday for Caracas by train over the German railroad, the bridges along the line, which have been destroyed by the revolutionists, having been repaired.

Resumed His Duties.

New York, Nov. 10.—After having been incased for six months in a plaster cast, which covered his entire body except his head and the lower parts of his legs, Rev. Horace Porter, victim of a bicycle accident, has returned to Plymouth church, where he is assistant to Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis. The accident, which occurred in 1900, caused the drawing up of Mr. Porter's limbs so that he was unable to stand. An extraordinary operation, the cutting of several important ligaments, was performed, and the pastor, after six months in a plaster cast, is now able to walk with crutches. These probably will be discarded shortly.

To Test Their Strength.

New York, Nov. 10.—To test the strength of the Federation of American Zionists in this city and throughout the country, a collection of 25 cents on what will be known as "Shekelday" has been taken up in every Jewish congregation. The payment of this small sum of money, which in the aggregate will amount to millions of dollars, entitles the contributor to become an enrolled voter in the Zionist party. The "Shekolim" or certificate of enrollment permits the holder, if 18, to vote for a delegate, and, if a payee of two years' standing and 24 years old, he is eligible to election as a delegate to the Zionist congress.

Proposed Labor Temple.

New York, Nov. 10.—It has transpired at a meeting of the Central Federated Labor union that certain wealthy men in this city are considering the plan of erecting a large building, fitted primarily for meeting rooms for labor organizations. The plan is understood to include the erection of a temple of labor, centrally located and abundantly equipped for its purpose.

Mitchell Does Not Want It.

Wilkesbarre, Nov. 10.—John Mitchell, the mine workers' president, announced that he appreciated the honor of being mentioned for the office of president of the American Federation of Labor, but believes he would be more useful at the head of the miners' association, therefore will not allow his name to go before the convention and will not accept the presidency if elected.

First Blind and Deaf Sister.

New York, Nov. 10.—Madeline G. Wallace, the first blind and deaf woman ever admitted to the cloister of a Roman Catholic order, has taken her final vows as a sister of St. Dominic at the convent in Newark, N. J. Two hundred friends of the young woman and clergymen from many cities were present.

Gone to Jamaica.

Port au Prince, Hayti, Nov. 10.—Gen. Jumeau, the leading supporter of M. Firmin, the exiled revolutionary leader, accompanied by persons who had sought refuge in the consulate at Consivas, started for Jamaica on board the Cuban steamer Paloma.

BOILER BLEW UP.

Two Men Were Killed and the Building Literally Ripped to Pieces.

New York, Nov. 10.—Two were killed and one of the pumping stations of the city's water supply system in Queenborough totally destroyed Sunday by the explosion of one of two big boilers which furnished power for the pumps. The killed: William Dihoy, engineer of the plant, Jas. Nelson, fireman.

The building was ripped to pieces. Bricks from it flew a distance of a thousand feet or more while the boiler which exploded was hurled 200 feet from its bed. The other boiler which was not in use at the time was lifted from its foundations and thrown a hundred feet in the other direction. The body of the engineer was hurled about 150 feet from the spot where he is supposed to have been standing. Scaling of the boiler is supposed to have caused the explosion.

No Minister to Be Sent.

Paris, Nov. 10.—Foreign office received official dispatch from Caracas, saying President Castro was unable to send a minister to Paris, owing to the present disturbed condition of Venezuela. Diplomatic relations between the two countries have been suspended for the past eight years, France being temporarily represented by the charge d'affaires at Caracas. Owing to the present revolution France desired to establish a minister near the scene and recently addressed President Castro suggesting the French minister assume his post when the Venezuelan minister to France was appointed. This answer is regarded as indicating Castro's position is too precarious to warrant any one of prominence accepting the post here.

Fatal Collision.

Huntington, W. V., Nov. 10.—The Norfolk and Western fast express No. 4, from Columbus to Norfolk, had a head-on-collision with a freight at Williamson Sunday. Owing to a heavy fog the engineer of the passenger failed to see the signal and when the collision occurred his train was running nearly 50 miles an hour.

Jno Snyder of Plattsburg, Va., express messenger was instantly killed. The injured are, Abe Jackson, engineer; J. C. Eakins, fireman.

They live in Kanova, and each is in a serious condition. The baggage and mail cars caught fire and Snyder's remains were burned to a crisp.

Amusing Incident.

Terrell, Tex., Nov. 10.—A young man living at Elmo and a young lady of that town were victims of an amusing incident at that place. They were handling a pair of handcuffs and the young man fastened one ring of the cuffs around his wrist and then locked the other around the young woman's wrist, just to amuse a crowd of young people who were witnessing the performance. After having a little fun over the incident, she took the key and started to unlock the cuffs, but broke the key off in the effort and the couple were obliged to go to a black smith shop together and get the cuff filed in two to get released from each other.

Will Not Be Club's Guest.

Memphis, Nov. 10.—The Commercial Appeal says: "President Roosevelt and party will not be the guests of the Ozark Hunting and Fishing club this week, but, on the contrary will go after bear in the vicinity of Greenville, Miss."

John H. McDowell, president of the Ozark Hunting and Fishing club, late Saturday night received a message from George S. Cortelyou, secretary to the president, in which he expressed regret that it would be impossible for the presidential party to accept the invitation of the club for its bear hunt this week.

American Automobilist Acquitted.

New York, Nov. 10.—In June last an automobile belonging to Trafford Hutesson of Omaha, Neb., ran down and killed a shepherd between Lieusaint and Melun, cables the Paris correspondent of the Herald. Mr. Hutesson was condemned by the police court of Melun to 8 days' imprisonment and a fine of \$50. The case was appealed and the Ninth correctional chamber has acquitted Hutesson and exonerated him from all blame.

Ex-President Barillas Dead.

New York, Nov. 10.—A private dispatch received here announces the death, says a Herald dispatch from the City of Mexico, of General Manuel Llanza Barillas, former president of Guatemala, and a colonel in the Guatemalan army, as the result of asphyxiation by volcanic gas in the vicinity of the Santa Maria volcano, where General Barillas owned a large coffee plantation.

Surrounded the Church.

Manila, Nov. 10.—The dissenting native Catholics who last week took possession of the church at Pandacan, Manila have now surrendered the edifice to the Roman Catholic church authorities. Other native dissenters seized a church near Cavite and held services there Sunday. It is thought the question of property rights involved in these seizures will be taken into court.

Crown Prince at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Nov. 10.—The crown prince of Siam broke his western journey by a two hours' stop here, the time being spent in a drive through the city.

Choate a Member.

New York, Nov. 10.—Joseph H. Choate, American ambassador, has been elected a member of the exclusive new club, cables the London correspondent of the Times.

Cathedral Rector Dead.

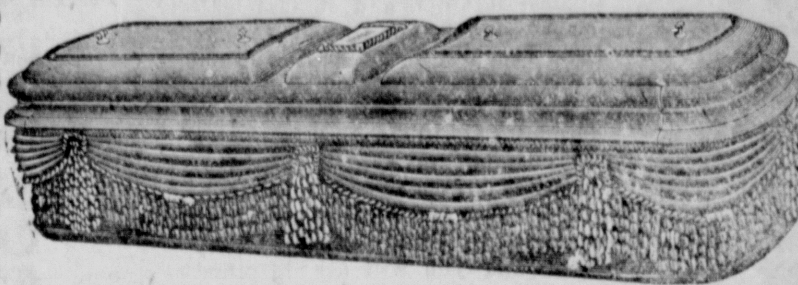
New Orleans, Nov. 10.—Very Rev. H. C. Hignot, for 32 years rector of the New Orleans cathedral, is dead. He was born in Neuits, France, in 1842.

THE TIME

comes in every man's life when he needs the aid of medicines to assist nature in recovering failing health and

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